

## VALIDATING SOFTWARE IN A GRID ENVIRONMENT USING GHOST AGENTS

### ABSTRACT

A validation method can include the step of identifying a host within a grid environment, wherein the host is a software object. A ghost agent can be associated with the host, where the ghost agent can move within the grid environment. The actions of the host can be replicated by the ghost agent. Data related to the replicated actions can be compared with validation data. Validation output can be generated based upon the comparison.